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BROTHERS IN SERVICE



SGT. JOS. ZIEGLER



CPL. DANIEL ZIEGLER

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ziegler have two sons in the armed forces. Sgt. Jos. Ziegler, who has been overseas for the past year and is stationed in North Africa, and Cpl. Daniel Ziegler, Jr., in the signal corps, stationed at Ft. Monmouth, New Jersey.

Both of these boys are married. Daniel married the former Miss Dorothy Fayard, and Joseph, the former Miss Genevieve Fayard.

Wilmer's Cash Grocery Robbed Saturday Night—Robber Apprehended

Wilmer's Cash Grocery owned by Wilmer Thibodeaux was robbed on Saturday night sometime before midnight and from \$10 to \$15 in dimes and pennies and between 35 and 50 sugar coupons were taken from the cash register and between \$35 and \$40 was taken from the machine.

According to Constable Gerald Price the night police, Julius Weber, while going his rounds in the vicinity of the store on third street found the back door of the ware house of the store open. Weber notified the owner and together they went into the store and found that the door and machines had been emptied. Sheriff Egloff and his office assistant Alvin Genin and constable Price were notified and a search was instituted for the culprit. On Sunday a Mr. Hart, fingerprint specialist from Gulfport was here but found no finger prints and it was learned later that the robber had gloves on when he opened a window and later was wearing on his hands a pair of stockings which he had taken from the show window.

Price and the night officer, Edwin Vairis noticed a suspicious negro lurking around the porch and spending money. They took him into custody and questioned him and then took him to Sheriff Egloff where he gave his name as Edward Lewis, Jr., and hailing from New Orleans and he confessed to having committed the robbery and took the officers to where they had hidden the money. He implicated a negro woman known as Alberta Johnson whom Price said was supposed to have a rooming house at Washington and Third streets and said she "picked him up" at a night club near the store and that they were to divide the money. George Sonyla, a Negro man about 70 years of age was also named as being a roomer at the Johnson house.

Mass Meeting Saturday To Elect Democratic Municipal Executive Committee

On Saturday morning, April 29th, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. there will be a mass meeting held at the City Hall of the City of Bay St. Louis for the purpose of electing a Democratic Municipal Executive Committee for the City of Bay St. Louis.

This committee, when elected, has complete charge of the election machinery of the city government. It becomes their duty to set the day for the first and second Democratic Primaries to be held for the nomination of the mayor and city commissioners for the City of Bay St. Louis. The general election is set by statute.

RECRUITING CAMPAIGN FOR WACS, WAVES AND WOMEN MARINES

Starts May 1st and Continues Through May 6

Mrs. George R. Rea, county chairman of the Joint Recruitment Campaign for Hancock County has completed plans for the campaign for the recruiting of Wacs, Waves, Spars and Women Marines which will open here May first to May sixth. An intensive campaign through Bay St. Louis and the county will be inaugurated and every home will be visited by Civilian Defense block leaders and their deputies to register all eligible women between the ages of 20 and 36 inclusive for enlistment in the service offered.

Headquarters for registration will be in the Civilian Defense Office in the county courthouse and the registration booth corner Main and the Beach and the hours at both places will be each day from 10 to 12 and from 2:30 to 5:30.

Mississippi is the first state to initiate a program for joint recruitment in these services and as the shortage of manpower is making the need for women's services imperative, it is hoped that every woman eligible for these services will recognize her patriotic duty to release a man for combat duty to help shorten the war and hasten the return of the men who are fighting for their families.

Let Hancock County keep its long record of responding to all calls and give it a registration of women for war work of which it may be proud.

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REGIONAL BAND CONTEST HELD AT BILOXI

Last Saturday, April 22, the Regional Band Contest for Coastal Bands was held at Biloxi, Miss. The contest was for solos and ensembles only.

St. Stanislaus was well represented at this contest. The soloists were as follows: Frank Shubert, trombone solo "Thoughts of Yesterday"; Earl Christenberry, trumpet solo, "Antarctic Allegro"; Randolph Bourgeois, baritone solo, "Willow Echoes"; A. J. Scadie, BBG-Bass solo, "Bohemian"; Karl Fasold, clarinet solo, "Cyndias"; J. H. Bonck, drum solo, "Drummers Delight"; Laverne Garisa, trombone solo, "Novellette"; Frank Kiefer, baritone sax solo, "Alborado"; Edward Steiner, BG Clarinet solo "Adagio and Tarantella"; and James Fayard, tenor sax solo "My Regards."

The ensembles were as follows: a band quintette composed of the following students Earl Christenberry, Joseph David, Dupre Lapointe, Frank Shubert and A. J. Scadie, playing "Mood Militant"; A Sax Quartette playing "Quartet No. 5" was composed of Joe Reuther, Dominic White, James Fayard and Frank Kiefer and a clarinet trio including Edward Steiner, Karl Fasold and Rupert Batchelor, playing "Nocturne."

The results of this contest will be made known Saturday the 29th of this month.

Troop No. 210 Has Court Of Review

On Monday night at the Methodist Church the Court of Review for Boy Scout Troop No. 210 was held under the direction of Scout Master Rev. E. E. Samples and Messrs Joseph Schafford, Howard Le Tissier and Alden Mauffray conducting the review.

Seven members came before the court to pass on their work. Two passed their second class work—John Hale and Gary Gilmore and five passed their first class—Ed Burg, Edward Randolph, Andrew Hamlin, John Swan and John D. Mollere, Jr.

John Mollere also merited the merit badge for horsemanship.

Two new members, Henry Clay Crutchfield, Jr. and Jack Dresher were received.

Ray Baier, Jr., assistant Scout Master Anderson Harragras, U. S. M. Basic Cadet School who has helped with the scout work and C. C. Stone, one of the committee men were present.

Time of Court of Award when these badges will be awarded has been set at an early date and plans are underway for increasing membership and troop activities.

COMMISSIONED ENSIGN



ENSIGN ORLANDO A. GOLDMAN

Orlando A. Goldman, 19, son of Lt.-Commander and Mrs. J. B. Goldman won his Navy "Wings of Gold" and was commissioned an Ensign in the Naval Reserve last week following completion of the prescribed flight training course at Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Fla., the "Annapolis of the Air."

Having been designated a Naval Aviator, Ensign Goldman will go on active duty at one of the Navy's air operational training centers before being assigned to a combat zone.

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Christ Church Young People Hold Meeting

The "Christ Church Young People" a newly organized group of the high school age church members of Bay St. Louis had its initial meeting Sunday, April 16th at Christ Church.

At 7:15 p.m. several boys and girls met in the parish house to discuss plans for the organization. After singing a hymn and a response, a prayer led by Mrs. A. O. Dresher, the members elected the following officers: President, Alicia Rollins; secretary-treasurer Shirley Weston; reporter, Barbara Dresher. It was decided that the group would study the Bible and the catechism and to close the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. J. R. Weston and Mrs. Harold Weston.

The second meeting included a program prepared by Mary Leigh Weston and Barbara Dresher on the importance of the Catechism in our daily lives.

Although this fellowship is sponsored by the Episcopal Church it welcomes members of all other denominations, and it is hoped that many other young Christians in Bay St. Louis will join the group on Sunday evenings.

Bay High Closing Exercises

S. J. Ingram, superintendent of City Schools announces the schedule of the closing exercises of the schools as follows: May Festival, Friday, May 12 in the school gymnasium at 8:15 p.m.; Vesper Services, Sunday, May 14 at 6 p.m. in the auditorium of the school. Rev. E. E. Samples will bring the vespers message; Eighth Grade graduation, Thursday, May 18 at 8:15 p.m. in school auditorium; High School graduation, Friday, May 19 at 8:15 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

Christ Church Activities

Christ Church Guild will hold its regular meeting Tuesday morning May 2nd at 10 a.m. in the parish house.

Mrs. Aiken's Bible Study Class will meet Thursday afternoon, May 4th, at 8 p.m. in the parish house.

OVERSEAS



CYRIL J. PIAZZA, EM 3c
Cyril J. Piazza, in the Construction Battalion (Sea Bees) of the U. S. Navy, has gone overseas and is now stationed somewhere in the South Pacific.

TWO PRIESTS OF DIOCESE ELECTED TO RANK OF CANONS BY BISHOP

Natchez, April 17.—Rev. Rene Joseph Sorin, Pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Good Hope, DeLisle, and Rev. Joseph Mormidas Chauvin, chaplain of the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart at Ocean Springs and former pastor of that town have been named Honorary Canons of the Cathedral of Natchez, according to an announcement made this week by Most Rev. Richard O. Gerow, Bishop of Natchez.

Very Rev. Canon Chauvin was invested in the robes of his new rank by His Excellency, Bishop Gerow, on Monday, April 22d at 9 a.m., at Ocean Springs, where he served as pastor for more than 20 years.

Very Rev. Capon Sorin had not yet set a date for his investiture at this writing.

The honor of Canon has come to these two beloved priests in recognition of faithful and zealous work in some of the poorest missions of the Diocese of Natchez, it was stated at the chancery office here.

Chapters of Canons are bodies of clerics instituted for the purpose of celebrating divine worship with greater solemnity and, in some sections, to assist the Bishop in the government of the diocese. There are several divisions of kinds of Canons, such as those attached to a Cathedral, who form a Cathedral chapter and act as consultors to the Bishop.

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Take this opportunity and register your Boy in Boy Scout Troop 217 and give him the advantage of scouting which not only will build him up physically but morally as well. The great open spaces calls to your boy so give him the great opportunity of being a first class scout. How he will enjoy the hikes, the nights spent outdoors, sleeping in tents, going on hikes, learning to tie knots, boxing, learning to read the compass, to receive and send messages by signals, swimming and all outdoor sports. Give him this chance to be a scout and a "Budie" to all Scouts.

Your parish sponsors Scout Troop 217 and if your boy is twelve he may register for membership. Let him visit the troop and learn as much as possible now and then he will be acquainted with the workings of scouting when he is received.

Troop meets each Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. at the Scout House in the rear of the Catholic Church.

Here is your chance to be a Scout and become a member of the Boy Scouts of America.

Lieut. Moreire is a graduate of St. Stanislaus here and of the Curtis Wright School of Aeronautics, Los Angeles, California. After graduating as an aeronautical engineer he worked at Hughes Aircraft Company at Los Angeles until he enlisted in the Army Air Corps. He is now stationed at Nebraska for further training and his many friends and relatives are hoping that he will visit here before going overseas.

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RECEIVES WINGS

Horthy J. Morrene, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morrene of Waveland and Pass Christian, graduated from the Air Corps Advanced Flying School at Foster Field, Texas, April 15 receiving his wings and commission as second lieutenant.

Miss Betty Simpson, Pass Christian, has been selected as queen and Miss Emily Claire Murtagh as Maid of Honor.

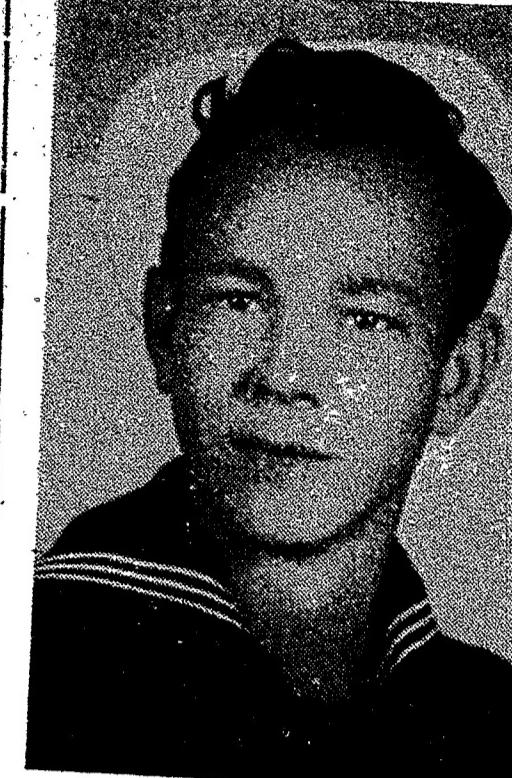
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To Form Red Cross Nutrition Class

A new Red Cross nutrition class will be formed on Tuesday, May 2 at 10 a.m. at the office of Civilian Defense. Mrs. Eleanor Davis will instruct the class assisted by Mrs. Ann Stroup, home economics teacher at Bay High.

No one can qualify for canteen courses until they have completed the course in Nutrition. Enroll now so as to be qualified for canteen service at the next blood Donor Service. Help your country by qualifying for this work to be done.

IN PACIFIC



JAMES MACTAIVISH, M. M. 1/c

James MacTavish only son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacTavish of Colema Avenue, is now somewhere in the Pacific War area. His father is a defense worker in the capacity of tools and dies for planes.

IMPORTANT PARENTS MEETING

Bay High School May 5th, 8:00 P. M.

All Mothers and Dads who have boys between the ages of 9 and 11½ are requested to be present at this meeting the purpose of which is to organize one or more Cub Packs in Bay St. Louis. This will mean an extension of the Boy Scout organization, locally, as a Cub Scout may be termed as a junior Scout.

Organization of a Cub Pack cannot be formed without 100 percent co-operation and support of the parents of the boys, so in order to entice your boy it is necessary for the parents to be present, but at this particular meeting, it is best not to bring the boys along.

For this area we will be present to fully explain this set-up and there is no doubt in the minds of the members of the local Scout Committee, but what your boy will benefit tremendously by his enrollment in this movement, as the sole purpose, is to build the youth of today, into a better equipped man, to better meet the needs of the future.

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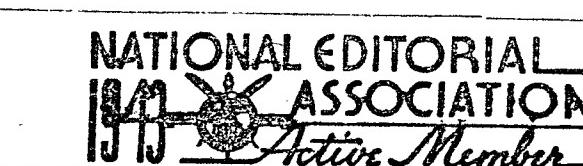
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SAYS VICTORY GARDENS NECESSARY

TWO million additional Victory Gardens are needed this year, according to Chester A. Bowles, Director of the OPA, who intimates that the present low point values on food can hardly continue without them.

Mr. Bowles says that we were facing a vegetable crisis last year, with the Government taking thirty per cent of the supply for its armed forces, Lend-Lease, the Red Cross and other shipments. This year, he adds, the armed forces will get forty per cent of the commercial pack of canned fruits and vegetables and that the additional Victory Gardens are necessary if we are to meet war food goals.

Warning against any assumption that the food battle is won, the head of the OPA declares that we must grow more food and can more food from home-front gardens this year. Higher point values on canned vegetables, he adds, appear inevitable for next year.

We call attention to this matter in order that Hancock County residents will understand the seriousness of the food situation. Many of us can grow some of our food requirements at home. The knowledge that this is not only expedient but necessary as a war measure should persuade everyone to do his, or her, best to successfully operate a Victory Garden.

ACCEPTING THE BURDENS OF WAR

THERE is hardly a family in the United States which has not been affected by the war.

Private lives have been disrupted and young men compelled to serve their country at the risk of their lives.

Nearly everybody is determined that the struggle shall be fought to a conclusion, that the evil power of our enemies be destroyed and that our civilization, culture and way of life shall be preserved.

There is every reason for having pride in the intelligent leadership of our officials and in the courage and fighting skill of our soldiers, sailors and marines. The conflict has reached the stage where victory is not to be doubted even if the cost of the triumph in men and money remains uncertain.

Our people have, for the most part, acquiesced in the restrictions and controls required by exertions in war. There is general acceptance of the burden which modern warfare imposes upon civilized populations. Such failures as may have occurred, on the part of selfish individuals, should not mislead us into doubting the loyalty and patriotism of the average American.

It is necessary, of course, for our people to become convinced of the necessity for sacrifices. Accustomed to exercising independence in thought and action, Americans are inclined to resist central control and to avoid, if possible, onerous regulation. Some exhibition of this national trait has been evident but it is due largely to individual failure to comprehend the full nature of emergency demands.

U. S. FLEET SWEEPS PACIFIC

THE operations of the fleet in the Pacific, with surprisingly successful offensives against various Japanese strongholds, are of particular significance, not because of the losses inflicted upon the enemy but because they reveal amazing Japanese weakness compared with our strength.

There is no doubt but that the conquest of the Gilberts and in the Marshalls has advanced our forward bases and made possible future operations far ahead of schedule. Heavier aerial attacks both from carriers and land-bases, will go far to neutralize the smaller Japanese bases but amphibious assaults must be expected upon some of the larger mountainous islands. This will mean a war of movement, with ground artillery playing a considerable role.

Before the recent operations in the Central Pacific, it was generally assumed that our carriers, battleships and other vessels, could not operate in easy reach of Japanese land-based planes from Palau, the Carolines and New Guinea.

The results of the recent campaign show that this is not true and that American strength afloat is sufficient to pass Japanese bases and to press attacks even when as at Palau, the approach of our battleships is discovered by the Japanese.

FAITH DEFEATS OPPRESSION

FAITH in human nature, in the integrity and worthwhileness of individual men and women, is the necessary basis for free government. Where it is absent, fear rules the hearts of those who have become strong enough to impose their wills on others and fear fashions for itself instruments of oppression. It seeks to justify itself on the plea that people cannot be trusted, that they are stupid and incapable of self-government. Such fear such distrust of people, found no entry into the hearts and minds of our Founding Fathers—Commission on American Citizenship of The Catholic University.

THE SPIRIT THAT WINS

FARMERS know that the greatest catastrophe which can befall our war-torn nation is a shortage of food. To this end we pledge ourselves to the utmost of our ability to produce food. We shall not hesitate to work 80 hours a week. Our wives and children will help us to plant and harvest our crops, to feed and milk our cows. The nation at war need fear no strike by farmers.—Student of the Northwestern Dairy Conference.



American Casualties

On what is regarded as the eve of the big invasion of Europe, with conflicting predictions as to the casualties which will ensue from that venture, it is interesting to consider our casualties in this War to date. And, likewise, it may be profitable to compare these casualties with those of World War I. In making these comparisons, however, it will be well to take into consideration that, while it is true that we have several times more men in uniform now than we did during World War I, our ground force engagements have had comparatively few men involved. There have been no extended lines of American doughboys engaged in facing the enemy such as existed in France during World War I. Our engagements, with the exception of the Philippines, have largely been on small scale. The figures comparing our casualties in World War I and II are as follows:

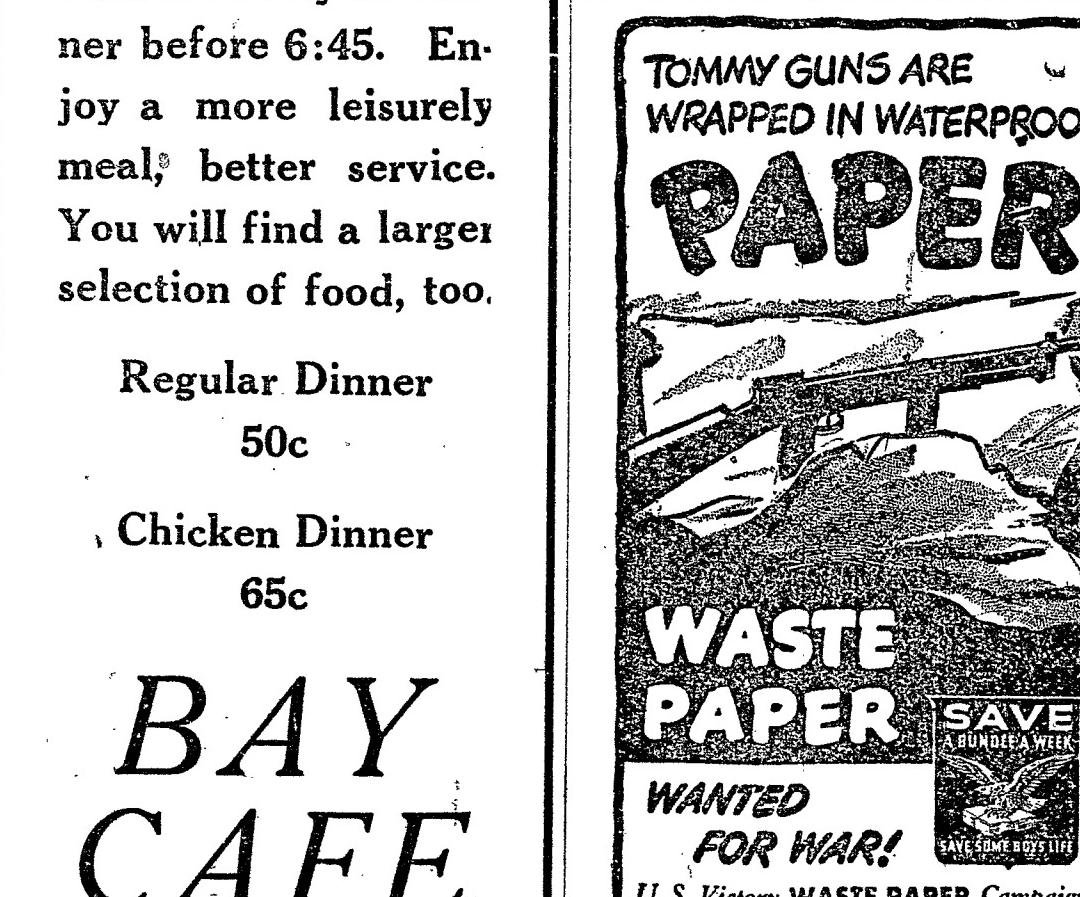
Army—
Dead—World War I 50,280
Dead—World War II 23,322
Wounded—World War I 205,690
Wounded—World War II 55,066
Missing—World War I 46
Missing—World War II 28,014
Prisoners—World War I 4,480
Prisoners—World War II 28,320

Navy—
Dead—World War I 3,004
Dead—World War II 18,549
Wounded—World War I 7,724
Wounded—World War II 11,505
Missing—World War I 3
Missing—World War II 9,374
Prisoners—World War I 92
Prisoners—World War II 4,431

These figures significantly show, among other things, that our Navy is playing a much greater part in this War than it did in World War I. The reason for this, of course, is the fact that we are waging a war of attrition against the widely scattered Empire and possessions of Japan.

Moreover, due to the superiority of our weapons over those of the enemy, our ratio of killed and wounded is much lower than that of the enemy. American troops had a total of only 49,051 casualties of all types in their cooperation with the British in wiping out 348,000 Axis forces in North Africa. While in another theatre of war the Americans killed four Japs to every American lost on Attu; and thirty to one in Kwajalein.

There are many people, both in military circles and of the armed-chair strategy variety, who are making conflict predictions as to our casualties when the big push on the continent begins. Our own thought about that is that it is as difficult to hazard a guess in that field as it is to predict the definite date of the termination of hostilities. No one knows just what preparation Hitler has been able to make to receive our invading forces that is one of the reasons why we are so anxious to know exactly what is possible that our military strategists may effectuate our landings where Hitler is the least prepared and where our casualties may be relatively small. Again, it is also possible that we may run into another surprise such as we received at Tarawa, where our losses were quite heavy.



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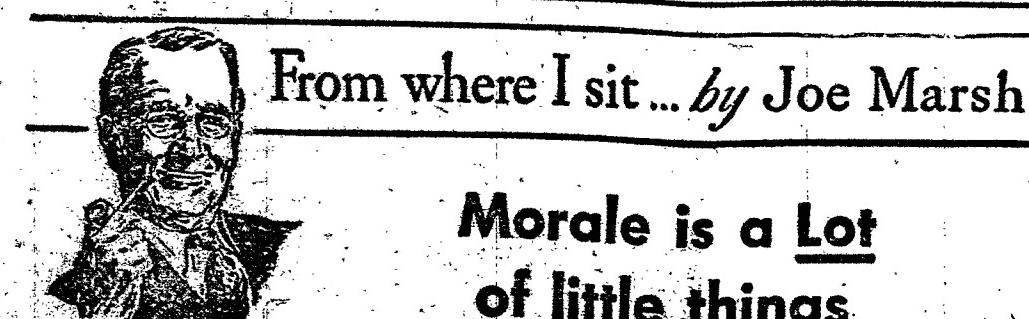
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"It's the lift you get from a friendly smile,
A brand new hat in a dandy store,
A letter from home that the postman brings...
Morale is a lot of little things."

Isn't it so? Morale is just a lot of little things. A flower in your button hole, a word of greeting,

Joe Marsh

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"DESTINATION TOKYO"
DUE THIS WEEK END
AT A. & G. THEATRE**Sunday and Monday with**
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"Destination Tokyo," a picture that should make us want to take a personal trip to Japan and throw our own bombs, will be at the A. & G. Theatre, Sunday and Monday.

The new Warner Bros. Film, which stars Cary Grant and John Garfield is the story of an American submarine, the U. S. S. Copperfin, operating against Japan, and of the men aboard her.

During production, the set of "Destination Tokyo" was closed as tight as a conning tower against any and all visitors and just what prodigies Mr. Grant, as commander of the "Copperfin" performed in his under-seas craft, could not be revealed until the Navy said it was all right to release the picture. The chief theme of "Destination Tokyo" is the part played by the "Copperfin" in sending aircraft-based bombers winging their way to Tojo's home town.

Script Kept Secret

For this reason, Cary Grant, John Garfield, John Ridgely and other members of the cast, all male, were under constant surveillance. The script was as secret as a military message.

Serving as technical Commander for the film was Commander Dudley Walker Morton, sub captain who at the time had just returned from a patrol on which he put 20 Jap ships under the water, blew up a Jap submarine, and destroyed an unannounced number of enemy fighting craft. For these exploits he received a Distinguished Service Cross from General MacArthur, the Navy Cross with two stars, and a Presidential Citation.

"Destination Tokyo" was directed by Delmar Daves, who also collaborated on the screen play with Albert Maltz. The original story was written by Steve Fisher.

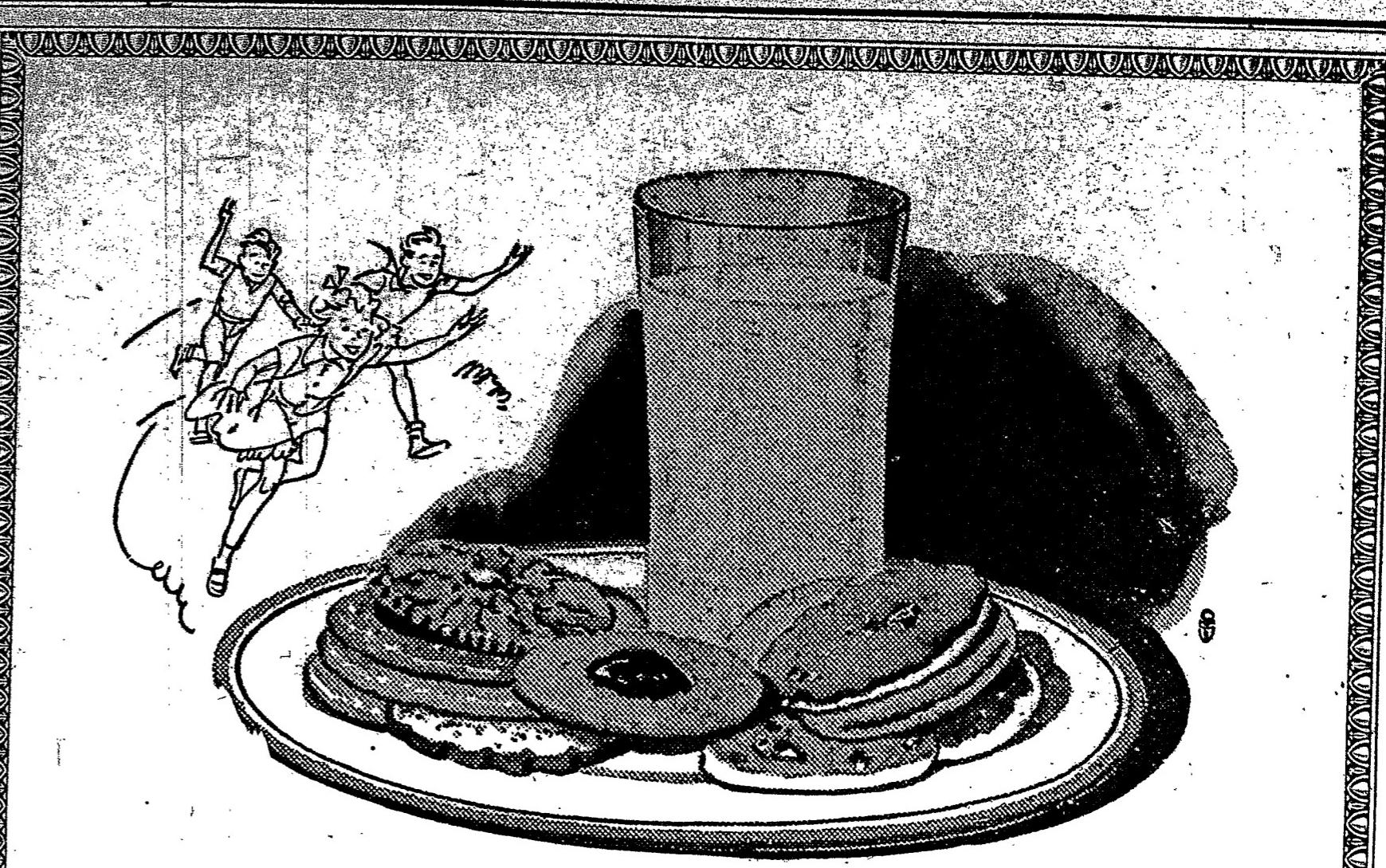
SCHOOL CHUMS MEET

It has often been said that this world in which we live is an exceedingly small one.

Boys leaving school and going into different branches of the service would hardly believe that they would meet in some place far removed from the States, but such is the case.

It must be a very strange feeling when walking down the street in Hawaii, feeling that you are away from all of your old schoolmates and friends to hear your name called out, and in looking you see your schoolmates coming towards you. Such was the case with Earl Sigur and Nick di Garoloma, both former students of St. Stanislaus. Later, a third was added to this reunion—Larry Regan also a former student of St. Stanislaus.

These boys truly had something to write home about, and on receiving this news, everyone who knew them, were pleased at their good fortune.

**Smart Mothers Know—****M-I-L-K spells HEALTH**

Not the way you learned to spell at school, perhaps, but mothers have a new Vitamin alphabet to consider where health is concerned. Milk contains a whole army of vitamins, fighters against disease, poor teeth and bones, and other potential enemies to children's health. And that's not all! Milk has many other vital health properties, and tastes good besides. Children beg for a big glass with meals and between meals. Give them all they want!

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The ordinary copper penny has lost a lot of its purchasing power these days—and even some of its copper. But it still buys as much electricity as ever.

For example, right now in your home a penny will toast about twenty slices of bread—or brew ten cups of coffee—or clean five big rugs—or run your refrigerator for several hours.

Rather startling what a penny will do when you think of it that way, isn't it?

Actually, the price of electricity came down so steadily before the war—and it has stayed down so

successfully since—that today the average family gets about twice as much electricity for the same money it paid fifteen years ago.

All this didn't just happen, of course. It's due largely to the hard work, efficiency and experience of your friends and neighbors who man and manage this company. That's why a penny, spent for electricity, buys so much.

CAUTION: Even though electricity is cheap—even though it isn't rationed—PLEASE DON'T WASTE IT. Coal, oil, manpower, transportation go into the making of electricity and these are critical war resources.

MISSISSIPPI
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See "Report to the Nation," outstanding news program of the week, every Tuesday evening, 8:30 P.M., Columbia Broadcasting System.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Joseph B. Crasto, Sr., deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 12th day of April, 1944, and therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court, within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 13th day of April, A. D., 1944.

MRS. ROSE T. CRASTO,
Administratrix of the Estate of
Joseph B. Crasto, Deceased.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Martha Chapman Ransom

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State, on the Second Monday of May A. D., 1944, to defend the suit No. 4797 in said Court of Edwin R. Ranson, Jr., wherein you are a Defendant.

This 13th day of April, A. D., 1944.

A. G. FAVER, Clerk.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of Gulfview Consolidated School, Lakeshore, Mississippi will receive sealed bids to be delivered to the County Superintendent of Education at the courthouse on or before ten o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 6th day of May, 1944, for the construction of the following building, to-wit:

One tile constructed school building according to specifications on file in the office of the County Superintendent of Education.

The Board of Trustees of Gulfview School reserves the right to reject any and all bids and award the contract to the best interests of the Gulfview Consolidated School. In accordance with law, a solvent bond must be furnished for faithful performance of contract.

Ordered this the 18th day of April, 1944.

ED GREEN, Secretary
Board of Trustees, Gulfview
Consolidated School.

**AT FIRST
SIGN OF A
COLD**
USE 666
666 TABLETS. SALVE. NOSE DROPS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Mrs. Amelia Letten, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Miss., on the 19th day of April, 1944, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This the 31st day of April, A. D. 1944.

JULES ARTHUR LETTEN,
Administrator of the Estate of Mrs.
Amelia Letten, Deceased.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN of the Town of Waveland, Mississippi, will receive sealed bids to be delivered to the Clerk of the Town Council on or before eight o'clock P. M. on the 9th day of May, 1944, for the furnishing of the following, to-wit:

1 Ford V-8, 1½ ton, 85 Horsepower, 1936 Rebuilt Motor.

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Waveland reserves the right to reject any and all bids, waive all formalities and to award the contract to the best interest of the Town of Waveland, Mississippi.

Ordered this the 4th day of April, 1944.

MRS. H. K. HOLDERITH
Secretary, Town of Waveland, Mississippi.

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**REPORT OF CONDITION OF
HANCOCK BANK**

of Bay St. Louis, Gulfport and Pass Christian, in the State of Mississippi, at the close of business on April 13, 1944.

ASSETS

Loans and Discounts (Including \$3,230.46 overdrafts)	\$ 750,154.90
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	5,730,640.85
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	3,218,521.47
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	113,753.78
Corporate stocks (including \$ None stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	37,711.19
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances and cash items in process of collection	1,687,790.56
Cash premises owned \$65,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$38,610.83	103,610.83
Real estate owned other than bank premises	3,376.00
Other assets	8,390.36

TOTAL ASSETS 11,653,949.94

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	6,784,564.16
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	3,434,472.76
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	132,729.29
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	684,595.36
Deposits of banks	10,307.51
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	71,584.42

TOTAL DEPOSITS \$11,118,253.50

Other liabilities 36,961.85

TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below) 11,155,215.35

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	290,000.00
Surplus	160,000.00
Undivided Profits	41,464.54

Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital) 7,270.05

TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 498,734.59

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 11,653,949.94

This Bank's capital consists of \$ None of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$230,000.00, second preferred stock with total par value of \$None, total refundable value \$None, and common stock with total par value of \$60,000.00

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): (a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	750,000.00
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscouned and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	745,867.63

TOTAL 1,495,867.63

Secured and preferred liabilities:

(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law

817,324.65

(b) TOTAL 817,324.65

Subordinated obligations:

On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was 1,392,940.20

Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to 1,087,790.56

I, S. L. Engman, Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that I fully and correctly represent the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. L. ENGMAN, Cashier

Correct Attest: LEO W. SEAL
J. A. PARKER
J. W. MILNER

Directors

State of Mississippi, County of Hancock

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 22nd day of April, 1944,

and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

W. W. STOCKSTILL, Notary Public

My commission expires May 9, 1946.

dent at St. Joseph Academy and a son Russell Henry Simons a student at St. Stanislaus.

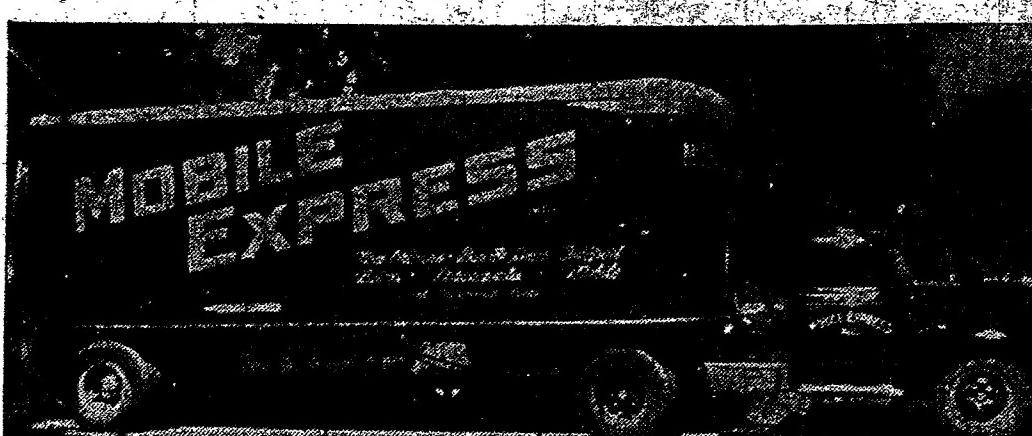
The funeral was held in New Orleans on Monday at 9:30 a. m. with a low Mass at St. Joseph's Church with interment in Greenwood Cemetery.

Death Of Harry Russell

Simons, 49 Years Old

News was received here last Saturday of the death at the Veterans Facility, Biloxi, of Harry Russell Simons, 49 year old native of New Orleans and a resident of Bay St. Louis. The Simons family came to Waveland from New Orleans several years ago and about a year ago they came to Bay St. Louis and resided in Ballentine street.

Mr. Russell enlisted in World War I on April 17, 1917 and was honor



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Gainesville News

Mrs. Cora Schulties spent the week end in Gulfport and Hindsboro last week.

Mrs. K. E. Miller has gone to Pensacola, Florida to spend a while with her people.

We are glad Mr. John Jones is back home after being in the hospital for a week.

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1. GREEN or YELLOW VEGETABLES—Green Wax beans, rutabagas, spinach, etc.
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3. POTATOES and OTHER VEGETABLES AND FRUITS.

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Help him get a life to home

About the only time he can get to the telephone is a few short hours in the evening. That's when thousands of other boys in the camps want to use long distance, too.

Any time you are not on the lines, there's a better chance for a soldier's call to get through.

So unless it's urgent, we hope you won't be using long distance from 7 to 10 o'clock at night. Save those hours for the service men.

SOUTHERN BELLS TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

Kilm News

Mrs. Kenneth Gatewood and her daughters and Mr. Lester Necaise of New Orleans, were guests of Mrs. Celina Necaise and Mrs. Sam Haas over the week end.

Mr. Roy Bills, Jr., Bay St. Louis spent Sunday with Mrs. Izella Glass and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cretors of New Orleans spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Delphine Curet.

The box supper given Saturday evening for the building fund of the new Catholic Church was a financial success and the ladies wish to thank everyone for their help and generosity.

Mrs. Elizabeth Curet is visiting her parents and sister Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gonzales and Mrs. Horatio Favre.

The young men of the Necaise-Moran community are giving a dance Saturday evening, April 29, for the benefit of Our Lady of the Pines Catholic Church, across the highway from Davidson's store.

Mr. Charles Dawson of Memphis, Tennessee is spending a few days with his daughter Mrs. George Curet.

Mrs. O. E. Nelson was called to Picayune Saturday to be with her daughter Mrs. B. R. Gipson, who had had an operation. Due to this, Miss Jean Miller of Picayune stayed over the weekend with Miss Ruby Miller.

Mr. Stubbs Soine, Belton Nelson and Noel Haas of Pascagoula along with Mr. O. E. Nelson and Louis Cameron of Kiln, went on an all night fish fry in Bay St. Louis Saturday night. They caught a great many fish and had an excellent time.

Doc Thigpen went to work at Higgins Air Craft Plant Friday. He likes this new work fine.

J. Johnston and L. O. Ard spent the week end out on the farm. Mr. Ard is rejoicing over his grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Ladner have been visiting Mrs. Monroe Frieson. Mrs. Ladner and Mrs. Frieson are sisters. Other visitors over the week end were Mrs. Jarrel of Nicholson and Mrs. Lavinhouse of Selma.

Mr. Guy Frieson went to New Orleans Tuesday for treatment of his knee.

Mr. Dave McQueen of New Orleans visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McQueen Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Lee Gibson is visiting her mother for a few days.

Mrs. Jane McCarty has been visiting her son in Bogalusa. She returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Oliver Pitts is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Frieson. Mrs. Frieson has been suffering an attack of appendicitis. She is improving.

Mrs. Tom Thigpen has received a letter from her son Rayford, he is still in Hawaii and is O. K. He gave no explanation for not writing in three months so it's presumed that he has been on "Detail Service."

Doc received a letter from Roy. He said they were mopping up the "Japs" in New Guinea and that he is enjoying the best of health, but he is in a hurry to get through and come home. News from Jack (Corp. Leo) is that he is still in a hospital somewhere and our prayers for his recovery.

Mrs. Carboneau had news from Corp. James E. better known as Jack. He is fine and spent Easter Sunday with some friends from Mississippi, who now live in San Pedro, Calif.

Miss Gevene Lee underwent an appendicitis operation in the Poplarville hospital Wednesday. She is improving nicely.

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Mr. and Mrs. Luther Spiers were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Roger Lee, Friday night.

The Hancock County Singing Association is to be held at Lees Chapel Church Sunday, April 30. Everyone is invited.

Logtown News

The 1943-44 session of the Logtown Consolidated School under the capable principalship of Miss Grace Jones, closed Friday, April 2, at Logtown, Miss. Other members of the faculty were Mrs. Joe Howze and Mrs. Carrie Hancock.

Mr. Roy Bills, Jr., Bay St. Louis spent Sunday with Mrs. Izella Glass and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cretors of New Orleans spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Delphine Curet.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Curet is visiting her parents and sister Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gonzales and Mrs. Horatio Favre.

The entire school participated in the rendition of songs, drills and readings, announced by Miss Jones. Perfect attendance certificates were presented to Lottie Jo Dawsey, Buster Hillhouse, Ollie Mae Carver, Delmar Dowsey, Lottie Mae McArthur and Elsie Mae Dawsey.

Levy and Charles Ladner sons of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Ladner of Market street are the proud owners of a little colt arriving a few days ago.

Annual May Festival

Date set for Thursday, May 4th

at 8 p. m. From all angles it will

be one of the outstanding entertainments presented, with a small admission for adults and children.

These funds to be given the Mothers Club.

Catahoula News

Mr. and Mrs. Carl V. Fleming and sister Agnes Bounds were visitors at Salem Sunday.

Many people of Catahoula attended the box supper held at Mr. Will Davidson's Saturday night.

Mrs. Prentiss Loveless had as her guest this week end her sister

Mrs. Lester Seal made a business trip to Picayune Friday.

Miss Myrtis Seal a student of Draughan Business College of Jackson is expected home Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert Barrett is residing with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mitchell.

We are sorry to report the illness of little Glenn Seal. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Gabriel Diaz is visiting his farm here this week.

Fenton & Dedeaux

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Garriga, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Mauffray, Jr. motored to New Orleans Sunday afternoon visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. G. O. Garriga had as her guests Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Willys Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Garriga, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Garriga and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Koenen.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lizana from Pascagoula visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lizana on Sunday.

Mr. Clifford Lizana who is now employed at the Ingalls Shipyard was at home with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lovan Lizana this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Garriga received a telegram from their son S/Sgt. Emmitte Garriga, this week end saying he was O. K. He is now stationed somewhere in England.

On Monday, April 24th Corp. John Albert Ladner returned to Camp after a 10 day furlough with his family. Corp. Ladner is due to leave for overseas shortly. His furlough was most enjoyable being with his pal Malvin Ladner.

Calendar of Events

First Monday—Meeting of School Trustees at Town Hall.

First Tuesday—Town Meeting at Town Hall.

First Tuesday—Kings Daughters, 2 o'clock, at Town Hall.

First Wednesday—Mothers Club, 2:30 at School Auditorium.

Last Friday—Civic League, 8 p. m. at Town Hall.

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JOS. O. MAUFFRAY

Bay St. Louis, Miss.

Leetown News

Mrs. Tom Stockstill, Mrs. Theodore Stockstill, Mrs. John L. Baker and daughter, Velma, visited Mrs. Archie Lee, who is in the Baptist Hospital in New Orleans.

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Thursday-Friday, April 27-28

LENA HORNE, BILL ROBINSON & CAB CALLOWAY in "STORMY WEATHER"

News and Short Subjects

Saturday, 29

BOB STEELE & TOM TYLER in "SHADOWS ON THE SAGE", "Capt. America" and Comedy.

Sunday-Monday, April 30-May 1

CARY GRANT & JOHN GARFIELD in "DESTINATION TOKYO"

News and Cartoon

Tuesday-Wednesday, May 2-3

ANN SAVAGE, TOM NEAL & GLENDA FARRELL in "KLONDIKE KATE"

March of Time and Short Subjects

Thursday-Friday, 4-5

MERLE OBERON & GEORGE SANDERS in "THE LODGE"

News and Cartoon

Waveland News

April so far has been very dis-

appointing for victory gardeners who are so enthusiastic to begin to carry out their plans in raising a variety of food. Heavy rains not usual in April have interfered so far, but their is still time to set out varieties of vegetables before the season for spring planting is too late. Poultry raising is at its peak now, many raisers already have large flocks of springers, turkeys, and ducks. Spring flowers are unusually prolific, colorful and attractive—mingled with Magnolias and Oleanders in full bloom.

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Flat Top News

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Striped Chambray Dresses Green, Brown, Blue, Red Sizes 38 to 44	Fine Percale Prints Button-down front Sizes 14 to 44	2.98
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Junior Miss Two-Piece Suits In Seersucker, Tissue Gingham Sizes 9 to 17	3.98 to 4.95	

MAUFFRAY -- DRY GOODS

Women's — Misses' And Children's Apparel

The Sea Coast Echo

City Echoes

Mrs. M. W. Briggs and Mrs. Harold B. Weston spent last Friday in New Orleans.

Mrs. Zella Clay, formerly of Belhaven College is now in the office of Hotel Reed.

Little Billy Scarborough is ill at his home in Washington street a victim of the measles.

Mrs. W. E. Powell of Mobile was a recent visitor here as the guest of Mrs. Fred Bandert, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Carter left last week for Lake Louise where they will spend some time.

Mrs. Joseph di Benedetto has been confined to her home the past few days—feeling a bit indisposed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bousquet of New Orleans were recent visitors to the coast, combining business with pleasure.

Mrs. W. F. Cooper, Jr. and young son of Richton, are guests of Mrs. Cooper's parents Mr. and Mrs. H. W. LeTissier at Hotel Reed.

Dr. James A. Evans returned on Wednesday from Jackson where he was in attendance at the Mississippi State Dental Association.

Miss Ruth Necaise and Barbara Jean Wallace of Prichard, Ala., were recent visitors to Bay St. Louis as guests of Mrs. Roger Johnston.

Pvt. Glynn Ladner of Camp Polk, La., was home on furlough visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ora Ladner of Lakeshore, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Eagan, the latter's father Mr. Victor Blaize and James Blaize all of New Orleans were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elm Blaize here.

Miss Thelma Thomas will leave soon to join her father in Chicago. From there she will go with him to his home in Canada for an indefinite stay.

Miss Sue Hyams and Miss Virginia Shelton O'Connor were weekend visitors to Bay St. Louis as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jaubert Fucich.

Mr. and Mrs. Jaubert Fucich and three daughters will leave today for New Orleans for a week end visit to Mrs. Fucich's sister Mrs. Bill Janin.

Misses Annie E. Hart and Grace Lee Hart of Meridian are guests here of their brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hart at their home in Main street.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Bailey from Camp Howze were recent guests here of Mrs. James Mehaffey. Lt. Bailey, of the Army, was enroute from Camp Howze to Fort Benning.

Mrs. Robert Lee Hamilton and infant son Robert Lee Hamilton, were brought from Touro Infirmary on Friday afternoon and are with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cagle.

Going to New Orleans on Sunday for the funeral of Miss Hilda Sporn were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Seal, Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith, Mrs. Rene de Montuzin, Sr., Mrs. Marielouise Judd, Miss Ethel Gex and Miss May Edwards.

Miss Eloise Brown, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gray is now on an extended trip to Washington, New York and Boston. In Boston she is visiting at the home of friends.

Miss Lucy Richardson will leave this afternoon for New Orleans from which point she will leave Sunday morning for Pacific Palisades, California, where she will remain until fall.

Mrs. Arizona Keith leaves Thursday for her home in Illinois after spending the winter at Hotel Reed with her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. LeTissier.

Mrs. Robert Perre, Mrs. Louis Banderet, Captain and Mrs. James Mehaffey and little daughter Patricia Ann, spent Monday in Baton Rouge as guests of Captain Mehaffey's family.

Mrs. Albert Marx, Houston, Texas, left Tuesday morning for her home after a week's visit here to her uncle and aunt Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Shipp. Mrs. Shipp accompanied Mrs. Marx home and will remain in Houston for a few weeks.

In last week's issue we mentioned the sale of the Charles Hamigan home in Waveland to the York Feitels. This was erroneous. The property sold was the New Orleans home and not the Waveland property.

The many friends of "Gus" E. Tempel are glad to see him and his smile on the streets again. He has been ill for some time but it is cheerful news to his friends in Bay St. Louis and throughout the county to know that he is again able to eat.

Mr. W. L. Bourgeois has recently sold the property on Main street adjoining the old post office building. It is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Witter as a residence and by Dr. M. J. Wolfe as an office. Mr. Pascal Carusin is the purchaser but it is not known whether he will occupy it or use it as rent property.

Mrs. A. P. Smith, Mrs. Charles Clark, Miss Elsie Mae Smith spent a few days in New Orleans last week returning home on Friday evening. Miss Elsie Mae Smith remained in New Orleans for a week end visit to Mr. and Mrs. Clem Penrose, Jr.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jacobi was christened at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic church on Easter Sunday, the Rev. Monsignor H. Joseph Jacobi, Catholic Charities, New Orleans, performing the rites of baptism. The baby was given the name of Marguerite Elise for her maternal and paternal grandmothers, Albert Jacobi and Mrs. Frank Ladner of Kiln, Miss.

Miss Laverne Mollere who is a student at the Hotel Dieu School of Nursing was one of the class to be capped at a recent exercise. Miss Mollere ranked fourth in her class. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mollere and is a graduate of Bay High. She held a position with the local draft board before entering the school of nursing.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman is a patient at Touro Infirmary. She was taken in by ambulance from her home here, on Friday of last week for observation and treatment and last reports are that her condition is considered serious.

The Misses Rosemary and Virgil Dick and Marilou Bourgeois spent last week end at the home of Mrs. Helene Gaines in New Orleans. While in New Orleans Rosemary and Marilou and their escorts enjoyed an evening at the Blue Room of the Roosevelt Hotel.

Jimmy Smith, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith, was brought to his home in Ballentine street by ambulance on Friday from the Gulfport Kings Daughters Hospital where he had undergone an appendicitis operation. Reports are that he is doing nicely.

Mrs. Mark Andresen and Mrs. Maurice Grefett spent Tuesday night here as guests of Mrs. Andresen's brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. J. Townsend Wolfe. They were enroute to Gautier for a visit to Mrs. Andresen's brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Bob Horan and little daughter Diane.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ranson will have a Requiem Mass offered at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church on Thursday, May 4 at 7:30 a.m. for the repose of the soul of their son, Lieutenant Louis T. Ranison who died on May 4, of last year somewhere in Northern Africa. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Owen Crawford, Navy, is on a leave from Dallas, Texas. He arrived in New Orleans on Friday of last week and spent several days there as the guest of his sister Mrs. Clem B. Penrose, Jr. He later went to DeLisle to visit another sister, Mrs. Fred Peranich and from there he will go to St. Louis to visit his mother Mrs. Owen Crawford. When he leaves St. Louis he will be in Bay St. Louis for a few days to visit his aunt Miss Louise Crawford before returning to Dallas.

S/Sgt. James H. Peterson is home on a fifteen day furlough from Amarillo Field, Texas, where he has been stationed as a physical instructor. He is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Ladner of Kiln, Miss.

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MARRIED AT HATTIESBURG

Miss Agnes M. Bourgeois and Mr. Joseph L. Zengarling both of Bay St. Louis, were quietly married by the Rev. Father Leo F. Fahey in the Sacred Heart Church in Hattiesburg, Miss., on Sunday afternoon, April 23rd, at 2:00 o'clock.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother Oswald Bourgeois of New Orleans, and had as her only attendant, Miss Vivian Egloff of Bay St. Louis. Mr. George Zengarling, brother of the groom was best man.

The bridal party motored to Hattiesburg on Sunday morning, accompanied by the groom's Father, Mr. Joseph A. Zengarling. Following the ceremony a quiet reception honoring the bride and groom was arranged by Father Fahey in Hattiesburg.

Upon their return the bridal party, together with members of the two families and a few intimate friends were entertained at a reception given by Mrs. Gene Funk, sister of the bride, at her home in Waveland, Miss.

Miss Bourgeois is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. Bourgeois of Waveland, and the groom is the son of Mr. Joseph A. Zengarling of Bay St. Louis and the late Mrs. Mary Zengarling.

BAY-HIGH JUNIOR SENIOR PROM

The Bay High Junior-Senior Prom was held in the gymnasium of the school on Friday night of last week and was one of the loveliest affairs yet given.

The large hall had been converted into a Hawaiian Garden Night Club and throughout the decorations were mingled the colors of red, yellow and orange to give the appearance of the sunset.

A pleasing feature of entertainment was the floor show when the Hawaiian dance was given, the dancers wearing the real grass skirts. The boys quartette, Jack Wolfe, Bob Dresher, Clois Puchee and John Mirambel pleased with vocal numbers and Jack Wolfe and Oscar Davis sang a duet. Miss Betty Ayres rendered a vocal solo. Charles Shurtz with a Hollywood Radio touch announced the attractions. The programs were designed and drawn by Bob Dresher.

As each couple entered the reception committee hung a Lei, made of crepe paper in the sunset colors, by the junior girls, around each one's neck and a kiss was given, carrying out the Hawaiian customs of welcoming their guests.

During the evening the floor was cleared of all dancers but the Senior Class and a prize was offered for the best couple and this honor went to Miss Ina Claire Smith and James A. Evans, Jr.

In the absence of the senior class president, Ed Porter, who left last week to enter training for the Merchant Marines, Leroy Adams has taken over as senior class president and he was presented with a gift by the juniors. In accepting he said "I will say just what I think Ed would have said" and thanked them and voted the Prom a "Super."

The following committees are responsible for the success of the dance: Decorations: Jane Wolfe, and Roland La Fontaine, co-chairmen, Eunice Moran, Marcia Jones, Glen Coward, Niel Walker, Dan Strahan, Ileana Luke, Ruth Gray, William Henry Williams, Carl Praetorius and Carolyn Ladner; Refreshments: Betty Lou Taconi, Edith Wheat, co-chairmen, Marion Loiacono, Mary Catherine Bennett, Ruth Ferrill; Entertainment: Alicia Rollins, chairman, Laura Ann Starita, Evelyn Russ; Invitation and Programs: Anne Smith, chairman, June Swan, Gene Robin and Betty Ayres; Reception: Thelma Piazza, Doris Murphy, Delta Moran, Ethel Ladner and Algerine Riggs; Floor Committee: Oscar Davis, chairman; Harold Carver, George Westefelt, Cecil Williams and Albert Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ranson will have a Requiem Mass offered at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church on Thursday, May 4 at 7:30 a.m. for the repose of the soul of their son, Lieutenant Louis T. Ranison who died on May 4, of last year somewhere in Northern Africa. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

The many friends of "Gus" E. Tempel are glad to see him and his smile on the streets again. He has been ill for some time but it is cheerful news to his friends in Bay St. Louis and throughout the county to know that he is again able to eat.

Open, Crawford, Navy, is on a leave from Dallas, Texas. He arrived in New Orleans on Friday of last week and spent several days there as the guest of his sister, Mrs. Frank Ladner of Kiln, Miss.

Miss Laverne Mollere who is a student at the Hotel Dieu School of Nursing was one of the class to be capped at a recent exercise. Miss Mollere ranked fourth in her class. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mollere and is a graduate of Bay High. She held a position with the local draft board before entering the school of nursing.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Grady Perkins, Miss Tempie Perkins and H. Grady Perkins, Jr.

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ENJOY BOAT RIDE

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hille treated Mrs. Carmelita Saucier, her son Santos Saucier home on leave and her daughter Miss Frances Saucier to a trip on their boat. This was Mrs. Saucier's trip on the water.

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MRS. CARMELITA SAUCIER ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Carmelita Saucier entertained her son Santos Saucier, Navy home on leave from overseas duty. The invitations included all Bay St. Louis boys who are in service, who were here and a few of her son's close friends and the guests present numbered 29. Those who failed to accept this generous invitation of Mrs. Saucier cannot know what a very good time they missed.

The feature of entertainment other than eating which all service men enjoy was piano music by Louis Taconi and Ben Hille pleased with several vocal selections. Louis Taconi was the speaker of the evening and brought a touching message of appreciation straight from his heart to Santos and others who are fighting this war.

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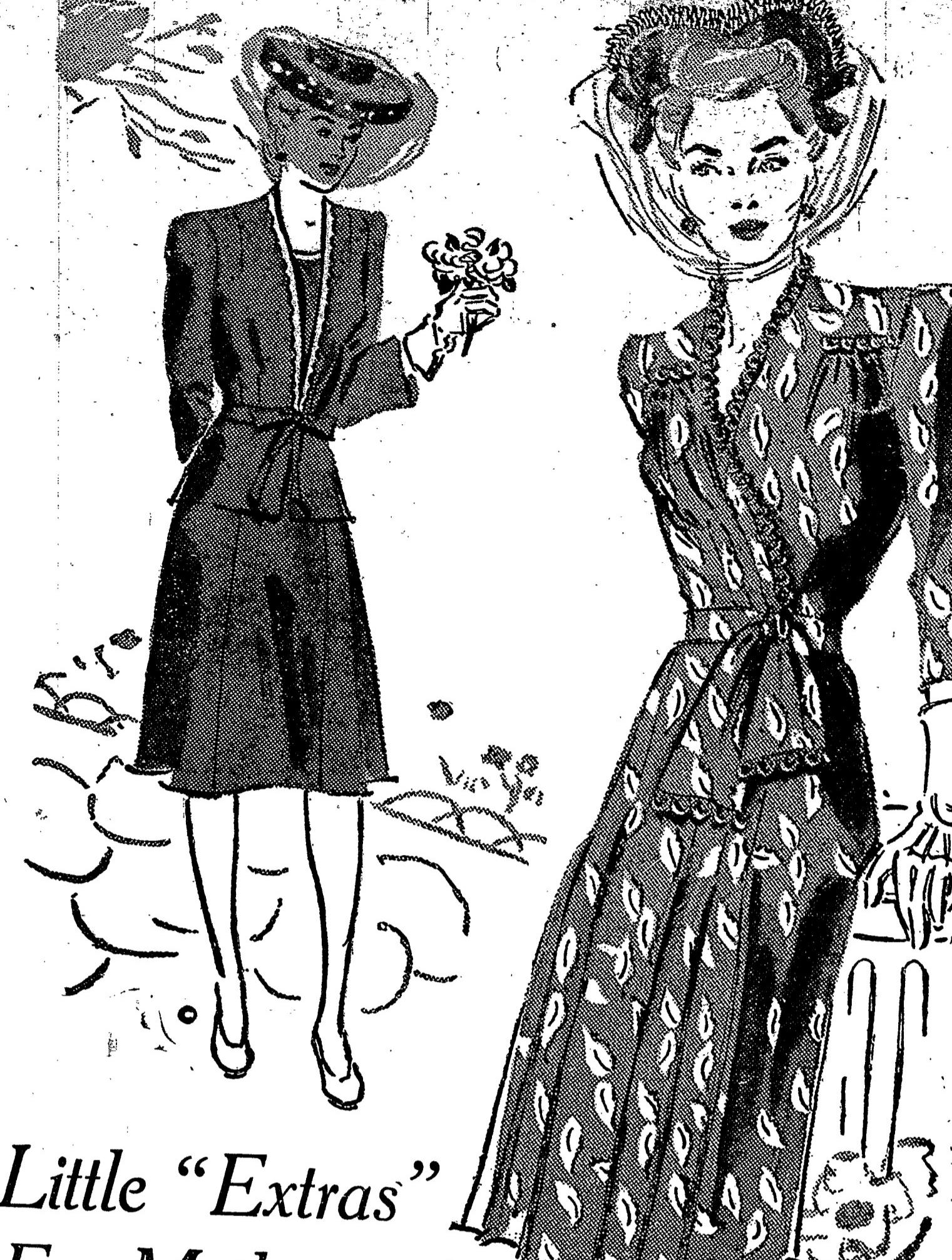
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JUNIOR-SENIOR PROM OF ST. JOSEPH ACADEMY

HELD LAST WEEK

The St. Joseph Academy Junior-Senior Prom was held last week in the school gymnasium which was converted into a spring garden evening scene.

Dancing was enjoyed by the Seniors and Juniors and their dates until a late hour with approximately sixty spending a most enjoyable evening.

HOLD OPEN HOUSE

Following his graduation as a Lieutenant in the Army Air Corps, Lieutenant Anthony J. Piazza, Jr., returned home with his parents for a ten day furlough, and during the past week it has been open house at the Piazza home.

Many relatives and friends joined with the family to celebrate Junior's home coming, the first leave that he has had in over a year. Among guests were the following:

Mrs. Mary Johnson and daughter Irene; Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson and four young daughters; Mr. and Mrs. John Caneve and daughters, Rita and Lois; Mr. and Mrs. G. Kent and daughter Shirley Claire; and the Misses Betty Prator, Dorothy Cornieu and Valerie Fitzgerald.

Lieutenant Piazza left on Monday of this week to return to duty at the Marianna Air Field.

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